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For: AUTOMATIC PRECISION NON-CONTACT OPEN-LOOP FLUID DISPENSING

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Sir:

AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the Official Action of July 18, 2007 and the requirement for restriction presented in it (for which petition is hereby made for any necessary extension of time), applicants elect the subject matter of Group IV, that is claims 29-48 directed to an electronic hand held pipette, classified in class 422, subclass 100.